

Conference Resolutions.

At the Annual Conference of the Mennonite Church of the Canada Conference District, held in the C. Eby Church, Berlin, on the 25th and 26th May, 1899, the following resolutions were passed.

IT WAS RESOLVED:

1. "That we fully put our trust in God, and that we do advise our members not to get lightning rods."
2. "That for the purpose of promoting the spiritual life in the Church, we give diligent attention to the Word of God and to our daily walk, and that we seek not only the salvation of souls but the encouragement and edification of the believers."
3. "That when ministers are laboring in outside districts where there is no bishop, they shall, with the consent of the bishop, have the permission to baptize and receive into church fellowship those who are in church order and make such a request."
4. "That Communion be held at Berne, Michigan, twice each year."
5. "That since the church is the body of Christ we fulfil our duties towards one another as members one of another, and that as watchmen and shepherds we diligently seek the restoration of the erring and discouraged members." 1 Thes. 2:9-12; 2 Tim. 2:4.
6. "That this Conference appoint a minister or ministers to fill the appointments of South Cayuga, Rainham, Bertie and Clarence for this conference year and report at the next Annual Conference."
7. "That the brethren David Bergey, Daniel Wenger and Israel R. Shantz be a committee to investigate the uses to which the funds of the 'Mennonite Evangelizing and Benevolent Board and the Ministers' Fund' can be applied, to ascertain the opinion of the different districts as to whether the two funds should be placed under one management and be kept as two distinct funds, or whether each fund should be kept under a separate management, and to report the result of their labors at the next Annual Conference."
8. "That those brethren who are dissatisfied with the 'Mennonite Aid Union' be asked to apply to the Annual Meeting of said Union."
9. "That the brethren Solomon Gehman and Moses C. Bowman labor in Rainham and South Cayuga during the present conference year, and that the brethren Eli S. Hallman and Lewis J. Burkholder labor in Bertie and Clarence for the same time."
10. "That the brethren John F. Rittenhouse, Moses Hoover and William Fretz be a committee to draw up a number of scriptural articles for discussion at our next Annual Conference and to appoint those who are to discuss them."